[*Note.*—**An asterisk (*) at the commencement of a speech indicates revision by the Member.**]

II. ANNOUNCEMENTS

(1) MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

3.30 p.m.

MR. CHAIRMAN : I have to announce to the House that I have received a message, dated 9th March 1960, from the Governor of Madras recommending to the Madras Legislative Council the consideration of the Madras Buildings (Lease and Rent Control) Amendment Bill, 1960, as passed by the Legislative Assembly, in pursuance of Article 207 (3) of the Constitution.

(2) MESSAGE FROM THE ASSEMBLY.

MR. CHAIRMAN : I have also to announce to the House that I have received a message, dated 16th March 1960, from the Hon. Speaker, Madras Legislative Assembly, transmitting a copy of the Madras Buildings (Lease and Rent Control) Amendment Bill, 1960 (L.A. Bill No. 1 of 1960), as passed by the Legislative Assembly on the 16th March, 1960 and signed by him, for the concurrence of the Council.

(3) DECISION OF THE BUSINESS ADVISORY COMMITTEE.

MR. CHAIRMAN : At a meeting of the Business Advisory Committee held at 2-30 p.m. today, the following programme of business of the Council has been decided :—

23rd March 1960 Wednesday	10 a.m. to 1 p.m. ..	Discussion on the Final Supplementary Statement of Expenditure for 1959–60 and general discussion on the Budget for 1960–61—(*cont.*)
24th March 1960 Thursday	2–30 to 5 p.m. ..	General discussion on the Budget for 1960–61—(*cont.*)
	10–30 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. to 6 p.m. ..	General discussion on the Budget for 1960–61—(*cont.* Last day.)
25th March 1960 Friday	3 p.m. to 6 p.m.	Consideration of the following ;—
		[a] 1 The Madras Appropriation Bill, 1960.
		2 The Madras Appropriation (Vote on Account) Bill, 1960. (L. A. Bill No. 3 of 1960.)
		[a] 3 The Madras Plantations Agricultural Income-tax (Amendment) Bill, 1960 (L.A. Bill No. 2 of 1960).
		4 Government Resolution relating to the constitution of a Township for the Kodaikanal Municipality.

[[a] Subject to the Bills being passed by the Assembly on the 24th March 1960].

The Legislative Council will adjourn on the 25th March 1960 and meet again at 3 p.m. on Thursday, the 28th April 1960. Further programme of business will be decided later.